IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY NINTH DAY OF JUNE
TWO THOUSAND AND FIVE

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE GODA RAGHURAM

WRIT PETITION NO : 13897 of 2005

Between:

K.Rama Rao, s/o Rama Rao,
Shop No.14, Ward No.14, Samarlakota Village and Mandal, E.G.District.

..... PETITIONER

AND

1 The Revenue Divisional Officer, Kakinada, E.G.District.
2 The Mandal Revenue Officer, Samarlakota, E.G.District.

.....RESPONDENTS

Petition under Article 226 of the constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the Affidavit filed herein the High Court will be pleased to issue a writ, order or direction more particularly one in the nature of writ of mandamus or any other appropriate writ, declaring the suspension order of the Ist respondent dt.9-5-2005 made in Ref.No.G/1025/05 as illegal, arbitrary, and for a consequential direction directing the respondent No.1 to drop all further proceedings against the petitioner and pass such other or further order as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper in the circumstances of the case.

Counsel for the Petitioner: MR.M.LAKSHMANA SARMA

Counsel for the Respondents: GP FOR CIVIL SUPPLIES

The Court, at the stage of admission, made the following :

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ORAL ORDER

The petitioner's authorization was suspended by the 1st respondent-Revenue Divisional Officer, Kakinada by the proceedings impugned dated 09-05-2005. The petitioner assails the suspension order on various grounds. As against the order of suspension of authorization the petitioner has an effective alternative remedy by way of appeal to the Joint Collector, vide Clause-20 of the Andhra Pradesh State Public Distribution System Control Order,2001.

In view of the above the writ petition is disposed of preserving liberty to the petitioner to prefer the available appellate remedy. On such appeal is being filed, the Joint Collector, Kakinada is directed to dispose the same in accordance with law. No order as to costs.

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GODA RAGHURAM,J

29TH JUNE 2005

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To

1 The Revenue Divisional Officer, Kakinada, E.G.District.
2 The Mandal Revenue Officer, Samarlakota, E.G.District.

3. Two CCS to G.P for Civil Supplies, High Court Buildings,Hyderabad(OUT)

4. Two C.D.Copies.

5. The Joint Collector, Kakinada.